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Application No.09/751,293

Filed: December 28, 2000

For: METHOD, APPARATUS, AND SYSTEM FOR
MANAGING DATA COMPRESSION IN A
WIRELESS NETWORK

Art Group: 2631

Examiner:

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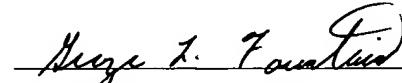
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Sir/Madam:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.78(a)(2), applicants hereby cross-reference the following related patent applications, which are all assigned to the same assignee as the present patent application.

- (1) A U.S. Patent Application entitled DYNAMIC POWER LEVEL CONTROL ON TRANSMITTED MESSAGES IN A WIRELESS LAN by Jonathan M. Zweig, Application No. 09/753,228, filed December 28, 2000.
- (2) A U.S. Patent Application entitled RELIABLE BROADCAST PROTOCOL IN A WIRELESS LOCAL AREA NETWORK by Jonathan M. Zweig et al., Application No. 09/753,226, filed December 28, 2000.

(3) A U.S. Patent Application entitled WIRELESS LAN WEP INITIALIZATION VECTOR PARTITIONING SCHEME by Darwin A. Engwer et al., Application No. 09/753,229, filed December 28, 2000.

(4) A U.S. Patent Application entitled SYSTEM, APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR NOTIFYING WIRELESS UNITS OF ACCESS POINT-TO-NETWORK LINK FAILURE IN A WIRELESS NETWORK by Jonathan M. Zweig et al., Application No. 09/751,333, filed December 28, 2000.

(5) A U.S. Patent Application entitled SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR A WIRELESS UNIT ACQUIRING A NEW INTERNET PROTOCOL ADDRESS WHEN ROAMING BETWEEN TWO SUBNETS by Darwin A. Engwer et al., Application No. 09/753,218, filed December 28, 2000.

(6) A U.S. Patent Application entitled SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR DYNAMIC CONTROL OF DATA PACKET FRAGMENTATION THRESHOLD IN A WIRELESS NETWORK by Darwin A. Engwer et al., Application No. 09/751,332, filed December 28, 2000.

(7) A U.S. Patent Application entitled SEAMLESS ROAMING OPTIONS IN AN IEEE 802.11 COMPLIANT NETWORK by Darwin A. Engwer et al., Application No. 09/753,227, filed December 28, 2000.

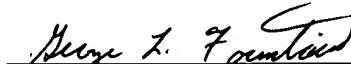
(8) A U.S. Patent Application entitled AUTOMATIC DISTRIBUTION OF RTS AND FRAG THRESHOLDS by Jonathan M. Zweig et al., Application No. 09/751,334, filed December 28, 2000.

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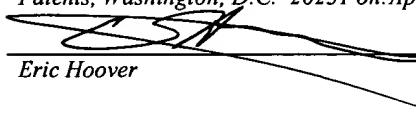
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